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In re Patent Application of:
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For: CIRCUIT AND METHOD FOR
DETERMINING THE OFFSET ERROR OF A
MEASUREMENT OF THE COIL CURRENT
OF AN ELECTROMAGNETIC ACTUATOR
(AS AMENDED)

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the non-final Office Action dated October 23, 2003, for which a response was due on January 23, 2004. Filed herewith is a Petition and fee for a two month extension of time, thereby extending the deadline for response to March 23, 2004. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.